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Warm-up: Revise and Edit

Directions: Revise and edit the following selection using proofreader's marks. Be sure to give recommendations and correct errors.

I was in my dark kitchen when all of a sudden I heard a loud BADOOM!!! I followed the noise to a broken mirror in the bathroom. I was confused. How did the mirror brake? So I decided to look around the mirror but I found nothing. So I looked back in the mirror and I saw a man.

I turned around as fast as I could but he was gone. About that time I had chil bumps running all through my body and I felt cold. I started running through the house screaming, "mom wake up, mom please!"

She came out and grabbed me and asked, "what's wrong," "There's an intruder," I replied. She grabbed Stephen my step dad and looked in my bathroom but found nothing. She whispered, "no one is in here maybe your imagining it just go back to bed." "Ok," I replied. I went and layed down until my parent went to sleep then I went to the bathroom and looked one more time.

I found nothing the I heard another sound. It sounded like SKEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEEET! And all of a sudden it stopped. I went in my bedroom and locked the door and went to sleep. I never saw the man with the blurry face and black hair ever again.